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Dated 9th February 1952.

No. C. & D. 2219—Imp. 1-51-14. The following ublic Notices issued by the Government of India, linistry of Commerce and Industry, are republished for ie information of the public :—

(1) No. 5-ITC (P.N.)/52, dated 18th January 1952;
(2) No. 2-ITC (P.N.)/52, dated 11th January 1952.

By Order,
R. J. REGO,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.
IMPORT TRADE CONTROL.
New Delhi, the 18th January 1952.
Public Notice.

Subject :—Forms of application for import of goods for the various categories of importers for use from the licensing period, January-June 1952 and onwards.

"With a view to facilitate speedy disposal of applications nd also to eliminate applications being made by importers i wrong forms, it has been decided to introduce a system f coloured application forms for the different categories of pplicants, *viz* :—

(i) New Comers (Green);
(ii) Established Importers (Scarlet Red);
(iii) Actual Users (Azure Blue);
(iv) New Comer—Sole Agents (Deep Violet);
(v) Raw Materials for certain specified Industries (Red-Brown); and
(vi) Capital Goods and Heavy Electrical Plant (Black).

hese forms can be had on payment of annas two each from ie Manager, Government of India Photo Litho Press, B' Barracks, Queensway, New Delhi, and also from the ffices of the Joint Chief Controllers of Imports and xports, Bombay and Calcutta and the Deputy Chief ontroller of Imports and Exports, Madras. These forms ill also be available through the normal Agents of Govern-ent publications.

Importers are accordingly advised that it will be in their wn interest to submit their applications for January-une 1952 period on these new forms, as this will facilitate uicker acknowledgment and disposal of their applications. mporters are also advised that as from 1st March 1952, ll applications are to be submitted only on the new forms. pplications which are not in the required form as men-oned above, will not ordinarily be entertained after that ate."

B. B. SAKSENA,
Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.
IMPORT TRADE CONTROL.
New Delhi, the 11th January 1952.
Public Notice.
Import of Churns.

"Attention of importers is invited to the entry relating o Dairy and Poultry Farming Appliances in Open General icence No. XVI issued with the Government of India, linistry of Commerce, in Notification No. 26-ITC/49, ated the 25th August 1949. It has now been decided that ll Churns should be allowed clearance under this entry in he said Open General Licence irrespective of whether the hurns are of the domestic or household type or whether hey are used as a dairy appliance."

B. B. SAKSENA,
Dy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT

Dated 5th February 1952.

Circular.

No. Fl.(B) 4420-4620—B. & T. 4-51-3. The question whether the State Savings Bank Act is superseded by the extension of the Central Savings Bank Act to the Mysore State has been examined and it has been held that the Central Act has come into force in Mysore from 1st April 1951 and that the Mysore Government Savings Banks Act which was till then in force in the State has ceased to be in force from that date. Government are considering the question of suitable amendment of the Central Act in so far as it applies to Mysore and till such an amendment comes into force, the Treasury Officers shall regulate the payments in accordance with the provisions of the Central Act, a copy of which is annexed hereto.

2. Under Section 4 of the Central Act, on the death of a depositor, where the deposit does not exceed five thousand rupees, the Secretary of the Bank can make the payment of the same to the person appearing to him to be entitled to the amount. The Secretary of the Bank in the case of Mysore Government Savings Banks is the Officer-in-charge of the Treasury concerned, but Government consider that payment up to Rs. 5,000 should be made only after careful enquiries. They accordingly direct that the Treasury Officers shall make the payments subject to the following instructions :—

(i) A Taluk Treasury Officer shall not make any payment exceeding one hundred rupees without the previous approval of the Deputy Commissioner;
(ii) A District Treasury Officer shall not make any payment exceeding one thousand rupees without the previous approval of the Deputy Commissioner.

3. It may be noted that nominations cannot be recognised under the Central Act as there is no provision in it corresponding to Section 4-A of the Mysore Act and any nominations registered on or after 1st April 1951 may be cancelled and parties intimated of the cancellation with the reasons therefor. The nominations accepted prior to 1st April 1951, may continue to be recognised since their validity is provided for by section 6 of the Part B States (Laws) Act, 1951.

M. SHAMANNA,
Secretary to Government,
7294 *Finance Department.*

Act No. V of 1873.

THE GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK ACT.

Received the Governor-General's assent on the 28th January 1873. An Act to amend the law relating to Government Savings Banks.

Preamble.—Whereas it is expedient to amend the law relating to the payment of deposits in Government Savings Banks; it is hereby enacted as follows :—

PRELIMINARY.

Short title.—1. This Act may be called "The Government Savings Bank Act, 1873".

Local extent.—It extends to the whole of India except the State of Jammu and Kashmir.

Commencement.—(Repealed by Act XVI, 1874).

2. (Repealed by Act, 1873).

Interpretation Clause.—3. In this Act.—

"Depositor" means a person by whom, or on whose behalf, money has been heretofore, or shall be hereafter, deposited in a Government Savings Bank, and "deposit" means money so deposited;

"Secretary" means in the case of a Post Office Savings Bank, the Post Master General appointed for the area in which the Savings Bank is situate; and

"Minor" means a person who is not deemed to have attained his majority under the Indian Majority Act, 1875.